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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 10 November 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

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b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

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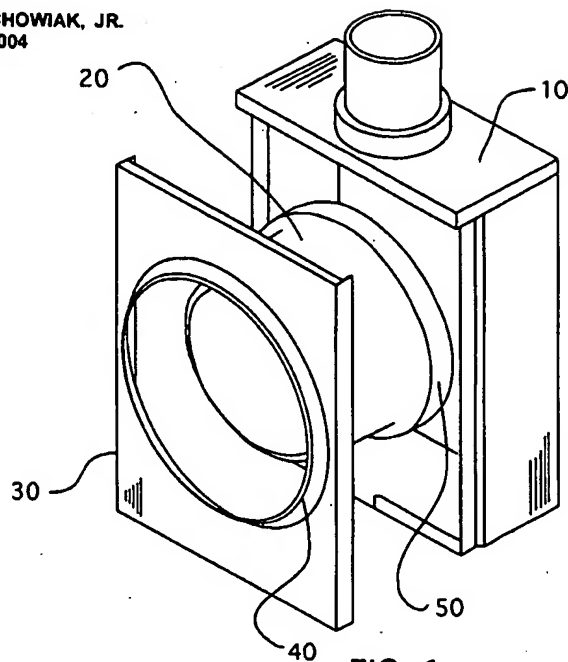


FIG. 1
Prior Art

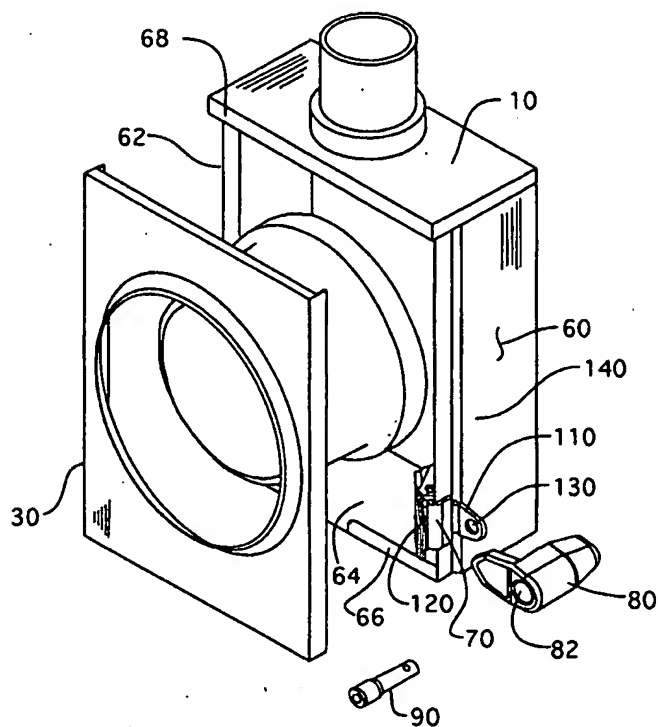


FIG. 2

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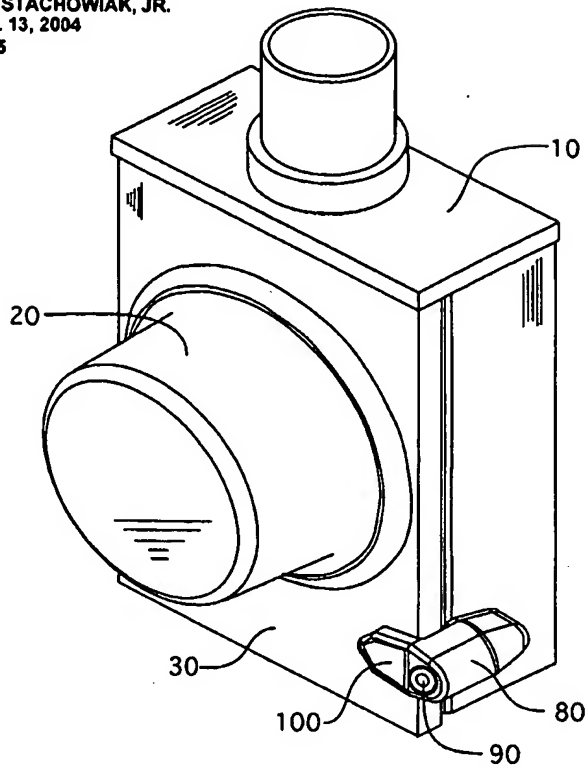


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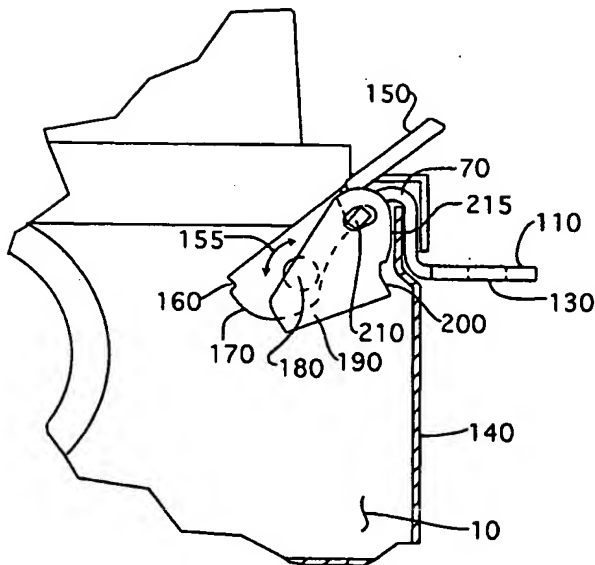


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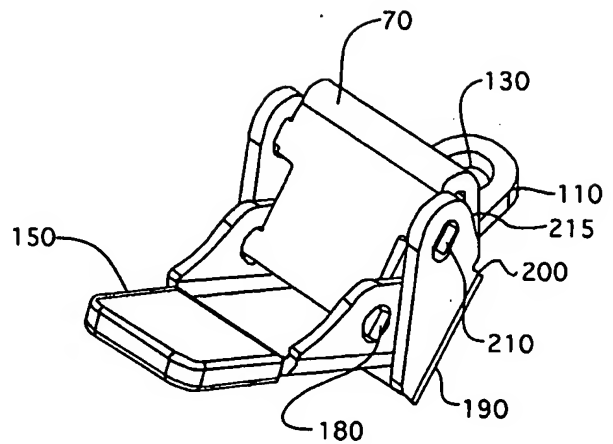


FIG. 4b

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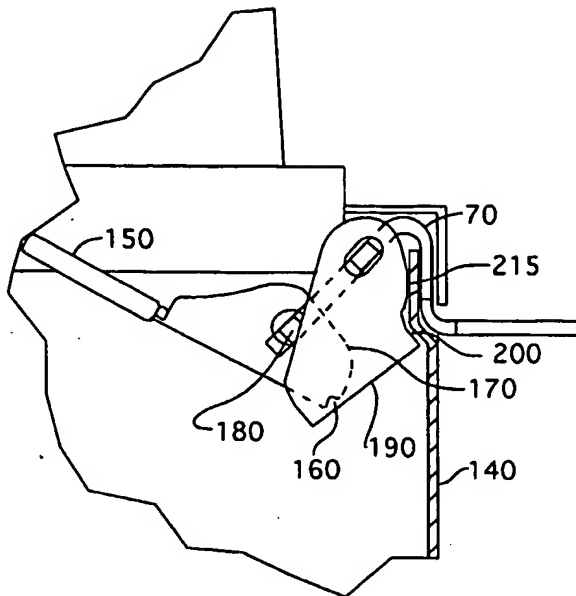


FIG. 5a

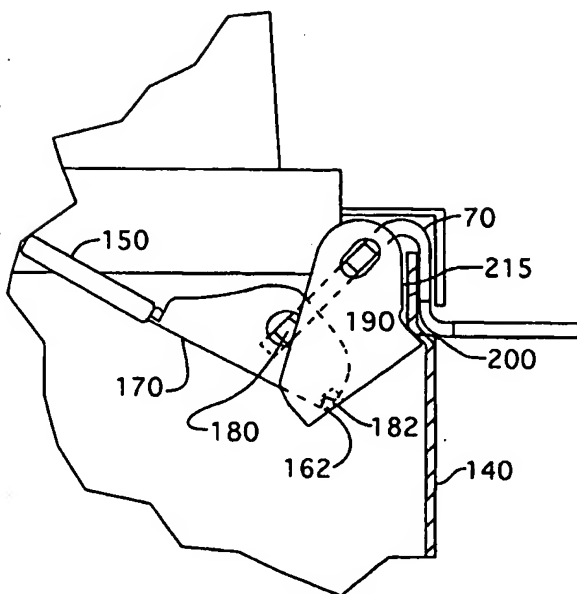


FIG. 5b

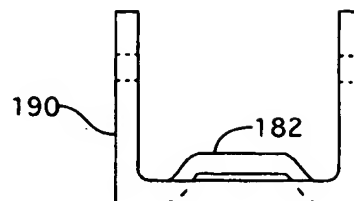


FIG. 5c

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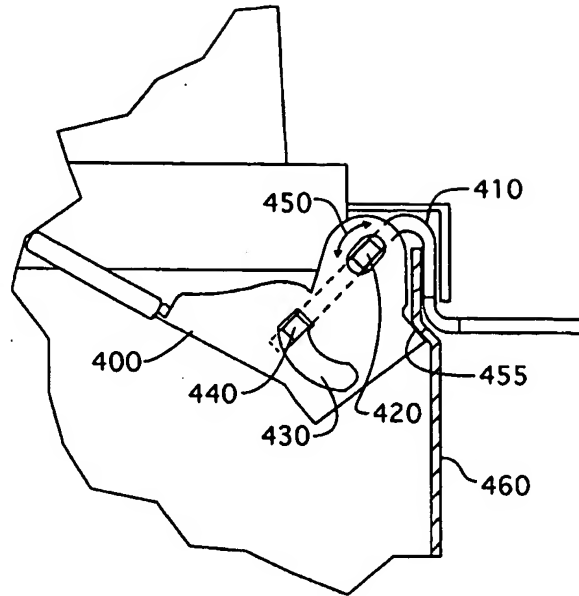


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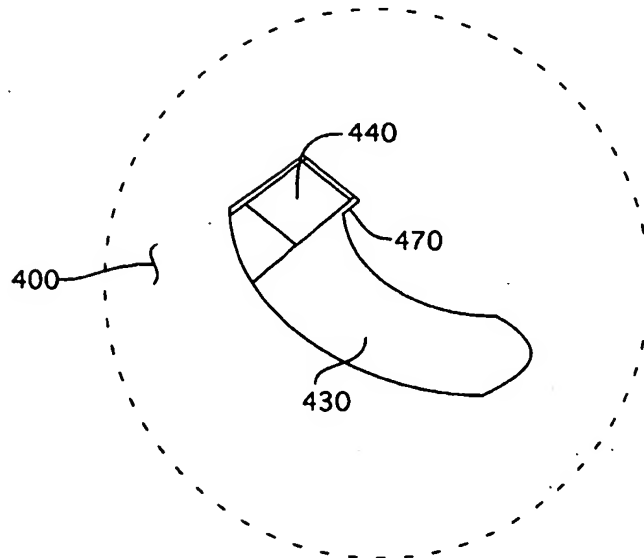


FIG. 6b

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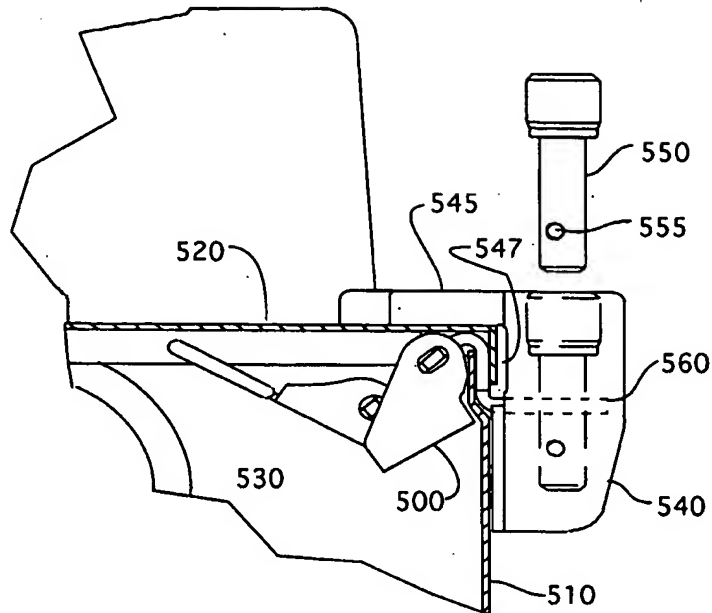


FIG. 7a

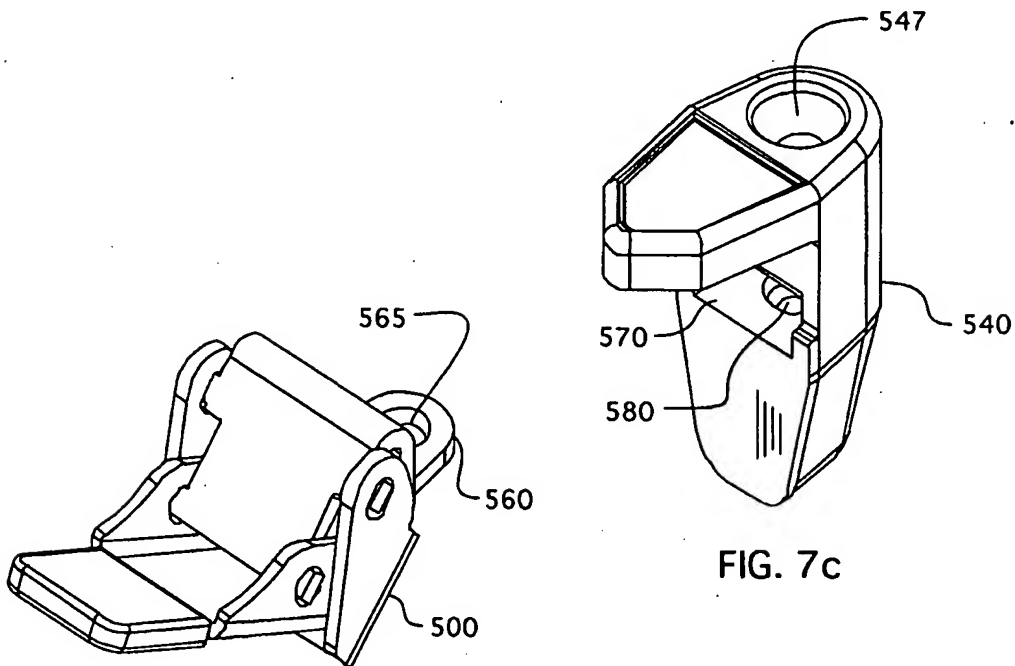


FIG. 7b

FIG. 7c